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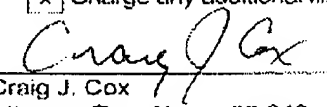
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Application No. 09/927,891-Conf. #4788		Filing Date August 10, 2001		Examiner B. Ensey	
				Art Unit 2646	
Applicant(s): Jim Feeley et al.					
Invention: A BTE/CIC AUDITORY DEVICE AND MODULAR CONNECTOR SYSTEM THERE FOR					
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)**MS AF  
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-21, 30-40, 45-52 and 54-60, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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